

HOUSE BILL 269

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4,  
Chapter 29 and Section 68-215-112, relative to the  
petroleum underground storage tank board.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-215-112, is amended by deleting subsection (a) and by substituting instead the following:

(a) There is created a petroleum underground storage tank board which shall be composed of nine (9) members as follows:

(1) One (1) person who is employed by a private business concern with experience in management of petroleum, who may be appointed by the governor from a list of three (3) names submitted by the Tennessee Chamber of Commerce and Industry;

(2) One (1) person who is employed by a private petroleum concern with experience in the management of petroleum, who may be appointed by the governor from a list of three (3) names submitted by the Tennessee Petroleum Council;

(3) One (1) person who is employed by a private petroleum concern with experience in the management of petroleum, who may be appointed by the governor from a list of three (3) names submitted by the Tennessee Oil Marketers Association;

(4) One (1) person with experience in the management of petroleum, who is the owner or operator, or both, of only one (1) private petroleum underground storage tank facility that has no more than five (5) petroleum

underground storage tanks and who is not affiliated with the Tennessee Chamber of Commerce and Industry, the Tennessee Petroleum Council, the Tennessee Oil Marketers Association, the Tennessee Environmental Council, or the Tennessee Municipal League;

(5) One (1) person who is a representative of environmental interests knowledgeable of the management of petroleum products and/or hazardous substances, who may be appointed by the governor from a list of three (3) names submitted by the Tennessee Environmental Council;

(6) One (1) person who may be appointed by the governor from a list of three (3) names submitted by the Tennessee Municipal League;

(7) One (1) person shall be an ex officio member and shall be the commissioner of environment and conservation or the commissioner's designee; and

(8) Two (2) persons, to be appointed by the governor, who are consumers of petroleum products, who are not affiliated with the Tennessee Chamber of Commerce and Industry, the Tennessee Petroleum Council, the Tennessee Oil Marketers Association, the Tennessee Environmental Council, or the Tennessee Municipal League.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-215-112, is further amended by inserting the following new language immediately preceding subsection (b) and by redesignating the subsequent subsections accordingly:

(b) The director, or the director's designee, of the division designated as responsible for the petroleum underground storage tank program shall serve as the technical secretary of the board but shall have no vote at board meetings.

(c) The governor shall consult with the professional organizations listed in this section before making any appointments to the board.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2011, the public welfare requiring it.